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FORMER COUNSELOR SHOT.

With a revolver concealed in a handkerchief, I Wong Chaeng, a Korean, yesterday shot and severely wounded Durham W. Stevens, former counselor to the Japanese Embassy at Washington, and now diplomatic adviser to the Korean council of State at Seoul, as Stevens was about to leave San Francisco for Washington. Three shots were fired at Mr. Stevens by Chaeng, the first bullet perhaps fatally wounding M. W. Chun, who with Chaeng and another Korean, attacked Stevens as he was leaving his automobile to enter the ferry building. The other two shots took effect in Mr. Stevens' back, one bullet striking under the right shoulder blade near the spinal column and the other a few inches lower. While the wounds are serious, it is said that the chances for Mr. Stevens' recovery are good.

The motive for the attack apparently arose out of the resentment of a small group of Koreans in San Francisco to the Japanese protectorate over Korea and to the part played in the reorganization of the Korean government by Mr. Stevens.

Mr. Stevens was attacked at the Fairmont Hotel Sunday night by four Koreans, who called to see him with reference to an interview in which Mr. Stevens had praised the work of the Japanese in Korea. After a fight with fists and chairs, Mr. Stevens stood off the assailants until they were arrested.

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BLOW AT STATE'S RIGHTS.

As was stated in the Gazette, the United States Supreme Court yesterday refused to grant to Attorney General Young, of Minnesota, a writ of habeas corpus releasing him from the penalty imposed by the United States Circuit Court for the district of Minnesota on the charge of contempt of court in instituting a proceeding in a State court for the enforcement of the railroad rate law after the federal court had prohibited such a course.

The court also affirmed the decision of Judge Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court for the Western district of North Carolina, discharging from imprisonment James H. Wood, a ticket agent of the Southern Railway at Asheville, after he had been sentenced by the Asheville police court to serve a term on the rock pile on the charge of collecting for a ticket on that road a greater price than was permitted by the State railroad law.

In both cases the right of the States to fix rates for railroad transportation was the issue, and both involved conflicts between the federal and State courts. The decision in each case was opposed both to the States and to their courts. The opinion of the court in both cases was announced by Justice Peckham, and, with the exception of Justice Harlan, all the other members of the court stood behind him in the announcement of the court's finding. Justice Harlan read a dissenting opinion in the Young case, in which he took the view that the suit was practically a proceeding against the State, and, therefore, not permissible under the eleventh amendment to the constitution. He, therefore, characterized the opinion as era-making in the history of the court, said it had the effect of closing the courts of a State against the State itself, and predicted that the result would be disastrous.

Justice Harlan deemed the cases of sufficient importance to justify a 12,000-word dissenting opinion, taking strong ground in support of the theory that the proceeding in the Young case was a suit against the State, and, therefore, not permissible under the Constitution. He closed the statement in the following words:

"Neither the words nor the policy of the eleventh amendment will, under our former decisions, justify any order of a federal court, the necessary effect of which will be to exclude a State from its own courts. Such an order attended by such results cannot, I submit, be sustained consistently with the powers which the States, according to the uniform declarations of this court, posses under the Constitution. I am justified, by what this court has declared, in now saying that the wise men who framed the Constitution and who caused the adoption of the eleventh amendment would have been startled by the suggestion that a State of the union can be prevented by an order of a subordinate federal court from being represented by its attorney general in a suit brought by the State in one of its own courts; and that such an order would be inconsistent with the dignity of the States, as involved in their constitutional immunity from the judicial process of the Federal courts (except in the limited cases in which they may constitutionally be made parties in this court), and would be attended by most pernicious results."

Representative Mann, of Illinois, who had considerable to do with the framing of the Hepburn law as a member of the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce, declared that he did not believe the decision would in any way affect the rate law, or that it had any application thereto. He said he did not believe the decision was a blow at States' rights, for the reason that it simply sustained the power of the federal government to interfere if a State law confiscated property.

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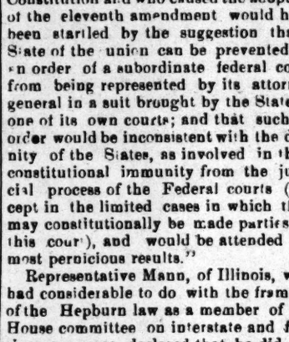

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DECEMBER 3, 1907.

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Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000 00	Undivided Profits	56,252.57
Other Bonds and Stocks	28,111.56	Circulation	98,900.00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97	Deposits	586,818.29
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PROPOSALS.

Fort Myer, Va., March 22, 1908. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at the office of the Quartermaster until 11 o'clock a. m., April 6, 1908, and then opened, for installing plumbing in 1 Set Field Officers' Quarters, 3 Double Sets Lieutenants' Quarters, 1 Barrack, 1 Stable and 1 Gun Shed. Bidders must state the trade name of the fixtures on which they base their proposals, as well as the name of the producing manufacturer. Certified check or surety company's guarantee for 10 per cent. of the amount must accompany bid. Plans and specifications will be furnished on application to this office, and a deposit of $10 for plans must accompany request to insure safe return. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Plumbing," and addressed to Captain B. B. HYER, Constructing Quartermaster. mar23 24, 25 26 mar3 4

Office of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE CO. 1231 Callowhill street, Philadelphia, Pa., March 20th, 1908.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleichmann, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon THURSDAY, the 9th day of April, 1908, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

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Alexandria Gazette
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TUESDAY EVENING, MAR. 24, 1908.

WHILE President Roosevelt may at times flourish his big stick in a mischievous manner, that he is wielding it in the proper direction when his blows are aimed at blatant anarchists will be admitted by all right-thinking people. The President states in answer to an appeal from Mayor McBride, of Patterson, N. J., to exclude "La Questione Sociale" from the mails for the purpose of suppressing the anarchists' publication that, besides directing that newspapers be denied the use of the mails, he has requested the Department of Justice to make every effort to prosecute criminally those responsible for the publication. A copy of the President's letter to the Department of Justice was enclosed by Secretary Loeb as the reply to the appeal of Mayor McBride, who has made public the letter. "La Questione Sociale" recently published an appeal of inflammatory character which resulted in the action taken. Among other things the President in his communication to the Department of Justice says:

Anarchists are, of course, the enemies of mankind, and every effort should be strained to hold them accountable for an offense far more infamous than that of our ordinary murderer. The newspaper article in question advocates murder by dynamite. It specifically advocates the murder of enlisted men of the United States army and the officers of the police force, and the burning of the houses of private citizens. The preaching of murder and arson is certainly as immoral as the circulation of obscene and lascivious literature, and if the practice is not already forbidden by the law it should be forbidden. Those who write, publish and circulate these articles stand on the level who those who use the mails for distributing poisons for the purpose of murder, and convictions have been obtained when the mails have been used for the distribution of poisons. No law should require the Postmaster General to become an accessory to murder by circulating literature of this kind.

AS STATED in the Gazette of that day the United States Supreme Court decided yesterday that the two-cent rate laws passed by the States of North Carolina and Minnesota are unconstitutional. The Supreme Court says of the railroad rate cases:

The question of the sufficiency of the rates to enable the company to obtain some return to its stockholders for their investment has for many years been held to be one for the courts to decide, as it would be a violation of the constitution of the United States to fix rates so low as to be confiscatory if enforced. The laws providing for transportation of passengers and freight in the two cases under consideration have been held by the courts below to be so low as to be substantially confiscatory, and should therefore not be enforced until after further trials. The courts had jurisdiction to make such an order.

This decision seems to be a just one. Of course it is very natural for people to want railroad fares, and in fact everything else, as cheap as they can get them, but as a matter of justice has a State any more right to fix railroad rates at a price below cost than it has to fix the price of grain below the cost of production?

CHARGED with operating a confidence game and obtaining $600 from Rev. Morton C. Hartzell, of Chicago, by false pretenses, four men who pretended they were detectives have been indicted in that city. The minister, who employed the men, declared that they had swindled him by pretending that they would get evidence that Mayor Busse was leading an immoral life. The world at large will manifest little sympathy for the victim of the confidence game. Paul was cotemporaneous with Nero, one of the most dissolute of all potentates who has disgraced a throne. The great apostle seems to have let him and all other rulers severely alone, and if his successors would follow his example they would doubtless be better off

THE RECEIPT of Black Hand letters is becoming common, and it looks as though the time is near when representatives of all classes will occasionally find such missives in their mail. U. S. Circuit Judge Emory Speer has received a threatening letter at Savannah, and Rev. Jules Graton, of Worcester, Mass., received another. Both tell the recipients that they have been marked for death. A number of ministers of the gospel during the past few weeks have received threatening letters. Most of them have been directed to Catholic clergymen, although some in other denominations have been threatened with death.

THERE is a parrot in Central Park, New York, which can use profane words out of six different languages. The bird became angry a few days ago and after ventilating itself for some time in the most unconventional language did not seem to have exhausted its vocabularly of cuss words. The parrot, it seems, before having been placed in the park, had traveled on different ships all over the world, during which time it learned to hurl epithets in half dozen different dialets.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., March 24.

The government has decided to accept the invitation of China to have the battleship fleets visit one of the ports of that country.

Seventeen ministers of Manchester, N. H., have petitioned Congress to abolish race track gambling in the District of Columbia. Their request was submitted today by Senator Gallinger.

News received here from the bedside of Senator Penrose is far from reassuring and his friends in the Senate are very anxious over his condition. The erysipelas which has attacked the Senator's face, has proved to be of a very maligant character. A dispatch from South Carolina says Senator Tillman's conditions today shows signs of improvement. Private reports received by Senators indicate little hope that Senator Penrose will live through the day.

With full military honors, the body of Arthur W. Fergusson, formerly executive secretary of the Philippine commission, was this afternoon buried at Oak Hill Cemetery. The funeral services were conducted at St. John's Episcopal church. The pallbearers included a number of prominent government officials.

Mr. Williams created a sensation in the House today by announcing that he would conduct a filibuster unless the republicans should give assurances that they would bring in for consideration of the House certain legislation, consisting principally of measures which the President has recommended for passage.

A razor was the only indication of the existence of Frederick Jeffs, who was left on an uninhabited island in the Pacific ocean, that could be found by the men of the gunboat Yankton, in their search for the lost man.

Three negroes asked the House committee on elections today to seat them as members of Congress in place of Representatives Legare, Patterson, and Lever, all of South Carolina. The negroes are Prioleau, of Charleston; Meyes, of Barnwell; and Dantzler, of Orangeburg. The claim the whites hid registration books from the blacks, thus rendering the negroes powerless to vote.

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Mar. 24.

SENATE.

Senator Beveridge today replied at some length in the Senate to various criticisms made in opposition to the creation of a tariff commission. He had received hundreds of letters and telegrams favoring the proposition to have experts frame up a plan of revision before Congress begins the work of modifying schedules. The first and most frequent criticism, he said, is that Congress should not part with any of its prerogatives either by having a commission of experts or by passing a joint resolution for the Senate and House committees to inaugurate this work. There is no foundation, he said, for these objections. One is merely investigation and the other scientific research. Neither is of legislative character.

Mr. Beveridge read several precedents showing that investigations in the past have proven beneficial and have been of great assistance in framing tariff bills.

The Senate today passed a bill amending the law providing for the registration of trade marks. The method of procedure in applying for registration is changed and more protection is afforded those taking out trade marks.

Two omnibus bills were passed granting pensions and increase of pensions to certain soldiers and sailors of the civil war. More than one hundred names were carried.

A bill carrying into effect the judgment of the court of claims in favor of the Cramp shipbuilding firm who built the battleship Indiana was passed.

Senator Lodge's bill removing the operation of the U. S. coast shipping laws from foreign vessels trading between the Philippines and this country, and authorizing the Philippine commission to issue licenses to vessels to engage in lighterage and other harbor business, was passed.

Having been twice interrupted in his three day speech by death, Senator La Follette, this afternoon concluded his remarks in opposition to the Aldrich financial bill. He has had opportunity to reframe his remarks, thus meeting changed conditions caused by striking out the railroad bond feature and making other modifications.

The Senate passed a bill which provides for the addition of six hundred and twelve officers to the army in order to fill the vacancies caused by the detail of officers to special duty.

HOUSE.

In pursuance of his filibuster tactics, inaugurated yesterday because the House voted to expunge from the Record a speech in which he had said some uncomplimentary things about Mr. Mann, Mr. Sulzer today introduced a "privileged resolution" to strike from the record a speech by Representative Dalzell on "the rules of the House of Representatives."

"I move to lay that resolution on the table," shouted Mr. Mann. Mr. Dalzell jumped to his feet, and the House was in confusion.

"I guess I have the floor," asserted Mr. Sulzer, and he had.

"I contend that this speech reflects on the intelligence of the membership of this House and was never delivered," exclaimed Sulzer. "On March 18 the gentleman got permission to extend his remarks in the Record. What remarks? No remarks." (Loud applause.)

Mr. Sulzer repeated his determination to keep all speeches out of the Record which had not been delivered in the House. Mr. Dalzell agreed that this privilege had been abused and hereafter he would co-operate with Mr. Sulzer to keep such speeches out.

Only 21 democrats stood up for Mr. Sulzer's resolution, and 181 members voted it down.

The agricultural appropriation bill, carrying an appropriation of over $11,000,000 was then taken up.

Mr. Sulzer promptly refused unanimous consent for the omission of the first reading of the bill. Thinking the House would have to spend an hour reading the bill, Mr. Sulzer stepped out for lunch. A request for unanimous consent was then repeated and granted.

Bitten by Rabid Man.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 24.—Andy Thompson, a machinist, bitten on the hand by a dog, developed rabies despite the Fasteur treatment. Five physicians overpowered him in a straight jacket. He escaped today and bit three women and two men before he was overpowered again. Thompson later choked himself to death in his agonies by tying a collar around his neck.

News of the Day.

Two children of King Alfonso XII., by a Spanish actress, are suing the heirs for an annuity.

It was said in Portland, Me., that the real reason for Congressman Littlefield's resignation was the growing sentiment against prohibition in Maine.

A dispatch from Niagara Falls, N. Y., says State Senator Stanislaus P. Franchet is dead. Heart disease following an operation for paralysis of the lower extremities was the cause.

A beautiful woman named Mrs. Portal, who was masqueradidg as the Countess of Monteil, has been arrested in France on the charge of robbing the rooms of wealthy guests in hotels.

The House of Representatives yesterday afternoon passed a bill which will end betting on horse races in the District of Columbia, if concurred in by the Senate and signed by the President.

At a meeting of the directors of the Maryland Savings Bank in Baltimore yesterday Mr. William Woodward Cloud treasurer of the institution, was elected president, to succeed his father, the late Daniel Cloud.

Without any opposition whatever, ex-Governor John Walter Smith was nominated to fill out the unexpired term of United States Senator William Pinkney Whyte, by the democratic members of the Maryland legislature in caucus last night.

A heavy wind and rain storm which raged in portions of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama for 24 hours destroyed much property, injured many persons and caused the death of at least one person, according to reports received last night in New Orleans.

The constitutionality of the oil inspection law of Tennessee was sustained by the U. S Supreme Court yesterday. That court also announced it had decided that the oil at the Memphis distribution establishment, for southern States, of the general oil company, of Pennsylvania and Ohio, was subjected to the taxation of Tennessee.

Eight-year-old Michael Shoemaker is dying at the home of his father near Latrobe, Pa., from injuries sustained in a quarrel following a game of marbles in which he had won all the marbles from his companion, a ten-year-old boy. Enraged at the loss, the later kicked him in the abdomen, injuring him internally.

The Chicago Tribune prints the result of a canvass of bankers in Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa and Indiana to ascertain their position regarding the Ardrich bill. According to the returns, sixty-nine of seventy five answers oppose the measure. The remaining six declare their belief that it would be better than nothing.

Kaiser Wilhelm, his consort, their fourth son, Prince August; Princess Victoria, many members of his majesty's official family and a number of the royal couples' personal friends left Berlin today for Venice whence they will go to Corfu to spend several weeks. The imperial yacht Hohenzollern is awaiting their convenience.

Vincenzo Bonanno, once a monk in Italy, was found dead with his throat cut in a house on east Twenty-third street, New York, yesterday morning. He had recently posed as a faith healer. It is said that he knew too much about blackmailers, and his death was desired by a certain element now causing much trouble in this country.

Henry Reiber, paying teller, and John Young, auditor of the Farmers' Deposit National Bank of Pittsburg, one of the largest banking institutions in the State, were placed in jail late yesterday evening by the United States authorities, charged with having embezzled and misapplied the bank's funds. The bank officials say $85,000 will cover all losses by the two men, who have admitted that they lost the money in speculation.

A review of the marine casualties of the coast of New England and British North America during the fall and winter seasons just ended, shows that about 350 lives were lost. Of this number 251 persons perished in the wrecks of 10 vessels belonging to the French fishing fleet of St. Pierre, Miquelon, last fall. These vessels foundered in heavy gales which swept the Grand Banks. About 26 Newfoundland fishermen were also lost in these storms.

The Bucks Stove and Range Company now talks of entering suit against the Federation of Labor and the labor organization that are members of the federation for triple damages under the Sherman anti-trust law. As a preliminary to this, there is talk of attaching the funds in the treasury of the labor unions. The United Mine Workes, who indorsed the boycott of the federation against the stove company, have, it is said a fund of $900,000.

Directions have been issued by the Grant statue commission, of which Secretary of War Taft is president, to Colonel Bromwell, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, for the early removal of the Crittenden elm and other historical trees in the Botanical Garden in Washington made necessary for the erection of the Grant memorial. This action was taken on the adverse decision of the House committee to a change in the location of the memorial in order to spare these trees.

D. D. Edwards, a Kentucky desperado, who shot and killed J. W. Davis in sight of the latter's wife and baby Friday night near Chattanooga, Tenn., was captured last night at Trenton, Ga., 25 miles from the former place. Edwards had attempted to disguise himself and was waiting in the station for a train to Birmingham. Edwards recently confessed, while testifying in a murder trial that he had killed 15 men. These did not include several negroes killed in a riot in Chicago several years ago. He could not state how many negroes he slew, saying he "never went back to look at people he shot to see if they were dead."

In the House of Representatives yesterday on a resolution introduced by Mr. Mann and by a party vote Congressman Sultzer's speech as it appeared in the Record on Saturday was expunged because it was not the one he delivered in the House. Mr. Sulzer in an attack upon Mr. Mann repeated and got back into the Record the expunged speech. The House took up the consideration of District business and ten bills affecting the District were passed. On one of these Representative Sims tacked an amendment which practically means that gambling at Benning must cease. A resolution expressing regret for the death of Senator William James Bryan, of Florida, was passed.

Virginia News.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Robert S. Lake and Alice L. Lake, both of Warrenton.

Mr. Walter H. Cloe, formerly a well known druggist of Fredericksburg, died Monday at his home in Richmond, aged 36 years.

Mr. Benj. Jones died at his home in King George Friday of typhoid fever. He is survived by his wife and six children.

Reuben O. Hudson, an esteemed citizens of Culpeper, died yesterday aged sixty-one. He was for years connected with the Second National Bank of Culpeper.

At the registrar's office at the University of Virginia the total enrollment, as of February 18, was 778, exactly equaling the enrollment at the same time last year.

William Jennings Bryan yesterday afternoon at Lexington delivered his address on "The Average Man," under the auspices of the Mary Custis Lee Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy. Mr. Bryan was met at the station there by a reception committee, with whom he dined.

BISHOP DEFIED.

Given the full power of a special policeman, David Trout, sexton of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Trenton, N. J., stands guard over the edifice ready to thwart any plan made by Rev. Dr. William A. Frye, named by Bishop Luther B. Wilson as presiding officer of the New Jersey conference to be pastor to take hold of his charge. The sexton-policeman says he will arrest Dr. Frye if it becomes necessary, as the congregation has refused to accept him as its pastor in place of Rev. Dr. Charles O. Jones, the Georgia preacher whom Bishop Wilson and the conference refused to recognize. Unless a compromise is effected within a few days First Church may become independent of the conference. The members have already notified Dr. Frye that they do not desire his services. At the service Sunday morning the congregation was the largest in the history of the edifice. Persons of all denominations heard the eloquent southerner, and after the service Dr. Jones was surrounded by hundreds who pledged their support to aid him in keeping his contract to serve as pastor for one year. Sexton Trout had been made an officer of the law at the instance of the trustees and sworn by Mayor Madden.

HER RECOMMENDATION.

A woman advertised for a cook and the only applicant was a hard-faced lady with a nasty eye.

"Where did you work last?" she was asked.

"At Mrs. Garrison's mem."

"Did she give you a reference?"

"No, but Mr. Garrison did."

"Why didn't Mrs. Garrison give it to you?"

"Well, you see, mem, she wasn't feeling well and my parting arrangements was made with him. I gave them every satisfaction though, and you needn't think otherwise for here's the letter,"

It was a curiosity in its way and is given verbatim. The wealth of meaning conveyed by this little masterpiece can best be left to the imagination.

"To whom it may concern," read the letter. "The bearer has worked for us three weeks and I am satisfied."—New York Evening Sun.

[COMMUNICATED.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Please allow me space in your paper to call attention to the electric light at the intersection of Prince and Fayette streets.

If I am not mistaken the contract with the Alexandria Electric Company expressly states that the lights shall be kept burning all night, and in event they are not, a stipulated sum shall be deducted from each lamp for time not in service. Now, if I am right in my understanding the city has been paying for this light on the basis of full time, when it has not burned properly one-third of the time since Christmas.

It appears to me that it should be some ones duty to report these lights to the proper authorities when they are not kept burning according to contract.

I trust you will give this article space in your paper so that the matter will be brought to the attention of the proper officials and they will see that the Alexandria Electric Company comply with their contract. T. M. J.

Everybody's for April has been received from its editors in New York and is in every detail a first-class magazine from start to finish. In its initial article John L. Mathews describes "The New Mississippi." "The Racing Game" puts the race-track fairly before the public and Charles Edward Russell contributes a sketch of the life and character of Gov. Johnson. "Paris and Parisites" is clever and "The Players" is well illustrated and readable. The fiction of this number is exceptionally good, represented by Booth Tarkington, Justus Miles Forman and other well known writers.

Do not Crowd the Season.

The first warm days of spring bring with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating air and sunshine. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown aside and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that grip is epidemic. Colds at this season are even more dangerous than in mid-winter, as there is more danger of pneumonia Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cures, and we have never known a cold to result in pneumonia when it was used. It is pleasant and safe to take. Children like it. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

DIED.

On Monday night at 12 o'clock, after a lingering illness, Mrs. JANIE E. PARK, wife of Philip R. Park, aged 33 years. Funeral from the residence of the father of the deceased, Mr. Lambert D. Lyles, 124 north Fayette street, Thursday evening at 4 o'clock. Friends and relatives of the deceased invited to attend.—[Pennsylvania papers please copy.

FREE.

In order to introduce our Fragrant Glycerine Lotion, we will give to each customer who buys a bottle of Cherry Cough Syrup or Nichlin's Hair Tonic during the next 10 days a 10c bottle of Fragrant Glycerine Lotion absolutely free.

E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

Today's Telegraphic News.

Illinois Republicans.

Chicago, Mar. 24.—Five well-known republicans will meet tomorrow night at Springfield. They are the members of the committee on programme and resolutions named by State Chairman Roy O. West, and they will gather to decide as far as they can what kind of a platform is to be given Speaker Joseph G. Cannon for the republican nomination for president.

With the meeting of this committee scheduled, the Chicago Taft Club, which was told not long ago to lie down and play dead, has begun to show signs of life again in the line of a platform proposition. A committee from the club will visit the committee on programme and resolutions when they assemble at Springfield, and in a kindly way supervise the work. It is said to be the desire of the Taft people to see that the endorsement of Speaker Cannon is not made so ardent that it will blind the delegates to the State convention to the realization that Taft is a candidate. It is declared that there is a strong probability that the Ohio revision plank will be put in the State platform.

The adoption of the Ohio plank is one of the things that the Taft people are anxious to secure. They say it will fit Taft much better than it will Mr. Cannon.

Madame Gould.

New York, Mar. 24.—That Mme Gould spoke truly when she denied report of a secret marriage to Prince Helie de Sagan somewhere in Germany a few weeks ago seems finally pretty well established, else why should she be trying to secure her family's consent to the union now? So much mystery enshrouds the Sagan-Gould courtship that it is impossible to quote so much more than rumor as yet. Reports that Count Boni's divorced wife is pleading with her relatives to set the seal of their approval on an alliance with the prince are so well authenticated, however, as to amount practically to certainty.

Miss Helen Gould is understood to have agreed to the marriage, but that George Gould has done so, too, is not so certain. George Gould is trustee of most of Mme. Gould's fortune, and unless he is also susceptible to persuasion financial complications are likely.

Mme. Gould is going to Virginia Hot Springs tomorrow night, and it is said Miss Helen Gould will go with her. It is also rumored the prince will board the train when it passes through Washington.

The Attack on D. W. Stevens.

San Francisco, Mar. 24.—The condition of D. W. Stevens, who, following an attack by four Koreans at the Fairmont Hotel, was shot at the Ferry station, is pronounced by physicians favorable to a speedy recovery today. One bullet struck in the groin, the other in the right lung. Unless complications arise recovery is practically assured.

The Call today prints a sensational story to the effect that the attack is the first move in a holy war declared by the Koreans against the Japanese, and that other bloody acts may be expected. It is asserted that Stevens, as advisor of the Koreans, was practically in the pay of Japan and was condemned to death by the assassins on this account.

Other papers declare that the would-be assassin was a hot-headed student, and that there was no plot.

Head-on Collision.

Burgin, Ky., Mar. 24.—Twelve persons were injured, several fatally, when a passenger and freight train on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad met in a head-on collision three miles north of here early today. Both engines were smashed and rolled down a 35-foot embankment with several coaches.

At the time of the collision the passenger train was going 45 miles an hour. As it reached a curve the freight came around. When the trains met the engines struck with a terrific crash and rolled down a bank, carrying several of the freight cars, the two baggage coaches and one of the passenger cars. Members of the freight crew say they had orders to meet the passenger train at Burgin, but the passenger crew say they had no such orders.

The Striking Reporters.

Berlin, Mar. 24.—Representatives of the striking Reichstag reporters have sent word to Chancellor Prince von Bulow that they regret exceedingly their inability to oblige by resuming publication of national assembly's proceeding, but cannot do so until apologies are forthcoming from Herr Groeber for terming them "swine" and from the president for his failure to reprimand the offending lawmakers. The communication was sent to the chancellor in reponse to an appeal from him to come to terms on the ground that the public is entitled to full reports of all Reichstag doings, that the strike renders this impossible and that legislative business is consequently virtually tied up. It is understood he is negotiating with the Reichstag party leaders for concessions on their side.

Shot by Night Riders.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Mar. 24.—A band of 25 night riders, masked and armed, rode at midnight into Golden Pond village, in Trigg county, and after firing off guns, went to a hotel and forced Tom Weaver, aged 40, colored, a tobacco packer, to accompany them. The band took Weaver a short distance from the village and withdrew a short distance from him and told him to run. The negro failed to obey promptly and the riders began shooting at him. One bullet entered his shoulder and another his hip. He fell in the road where neighbors found him today in a dying condition. There is no cause for the outrage as far as known.

Duke of Devonshire Dead.

London, Mar. 24.—The Duke of Devonshire is dead of heart disease.

Spencer Compton Cavendish, eighth Duke of Devonshire, has long been a prominent figure in British public life. He was born in 1833, and had held at various times the offices of Lord of the Admiralty, Secretary of State for War, Postmaster General, Secretary for Ireland, Secretary of State for India and Lord President of the Council. He had immense land estates in England, wide business interests and was among the wealthiest of British peers.

Mr. John, Riha, of Vining, Ia., says: "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Market.

Georgetown D. C., Mar. 24.—Wheat 90-95

Attempt to Burn Tenement.

New York, Mar. 24.—What is described by the police as the boldest attempt ever made to burn down a house full of human beings was made early today in the five-story double-decker tenement at 334 east Sixty-third street. That a large loss of life was averted is due to Policeman Dan Barry, as the incendiary planned to cut off all egress of his intended victims. Twenty Italian families with their boarders occupied the place.

Oil had been used to drench the roof until it floated on top of the rain remaining from last night's storm, and all down the stairways the oil had been spread, the incendiary stopping at intervals to allow pools to collect. Under the stairs leading to the scuttle oil-soaked rags had been piled and here the flames were started. In the lower hallway the oil had been dashed over the woodwork, and apparently the incendiary had planned to fire this only means of exit to the street, but was frightened away.

One of the tenements smelled smoke and raised an alarm by firing his revolver. Barry ran to the building to find the place in a panic. He fought his way up the stairs, finally discovering the fire and was able to put it out before half the tenants had got out of their rooms. Police investigation showed that the tenants have received frequent letters saying they would be burned out unless they left the house, and the attempt is attributed to the Black Hand.

Woman Charged with Murder.

Cleveland, O., Mar. 24.—Mrs. Christina Lipscomb will be arraigned before Police Judge McGannon today upon the charge of murdering her husband, John Lipscomb, who died last Thursday. Mrs. Lipscomb has made a confession, the police say, that she is guilty. For several weeks Lipscomb lay in the hospital steadily refusing to make a statement. He said he would recover and himself avenge the shooting. He grew weaker, however, and a few minutes before death came whispered the words that gave detectives the clew. Mrs. Lipscomb had said a negro shot her husband while they were returning home from a social visit. Following the funeral Monday the inquest piled up suspicious circumstances.

The doctor who attended Lipscomb said the dying man told him "my wife did it." Mrs Lipscomb told the police her husband attacked her at the scene of the shooting. She said this assault was the result of quarreling and jealousy. "On that night we were on our way home from a visit," she said. "He began to abuse me and finally seized me as if he would swing me upon the tracks before an approaching street car. I fell to my knees. He drew his revolver. I tore it from him. In the scuffle the weapon discharged once. The bullet struck my husband. Then in my excitement I fired twice more. I threw the gun away."

Demand Will be Refused.

Paris, Mar. 24.—America's demand for the person of Paul Roy, the Frenchman who married Glacia Calla and is accused by her of killing her brother George Carkine, at Newington, N. H., last January, is still under consideration at the foreign office with every indication that it will be refused.

The Franco-American extradition treaty does not require the surrender of French citizens charged with crimes in foreign countries, however, and as it has never been customary to do so, the officials question the wisdom of departing in the present case from their usual procedure.

Roy will, of course, be tried in France on whatever charge may be preferred against him, but the general opinion in legal and official circles is that the chances of his conviction are small. He remains at his father's home at Nueilly awaiting action in his case.

The Gillette Case.

Albany, N. Y., Mar. 24.—Reports to the effect that Chester Gillette, condemned to die next week in Auburn prison for the murder of his sweetheart, Grace Brown, whom he drowned in Big Moose lake in the Adirondacks, is likely to be reprieved by the governor, are absolutely without any foundation in fact. Governor Huges still reserves his final announcement on the case awaiting the arrival of some papers to be submitted by friends of Gillette which should have been here last week. Those who know how carefully Governor Hughes has read the official record of the case have absolutely no expectation that he will interfere in the execution.

Banks Closed.

Boston, Mar. 24.—C. J. Filey and Company, stock brokers, who operate three Boston offices with branches in other parts of New England, did not open their doors for business today.

Weidner & Company, brokers with officers here, made an assignment today to James H. Duffy. The amount of their liabilities as not known.

Sheriff Killed.

Denver, Col., Mar. 24.—A dispatch from Billings, Mont., says that Sheriff Webb, of Yellowstone county, was killed this morning in a desperate battle with horse thieves. Details are lacking.

New York Stock Market.

New York, March 24.—There was a brisk demand for stocks at the opening, but in most of the speculative issues heavy selling orders appeared and the supply was so large after some gains were made in the first sales, prices reacted and at the end of the hour, the bulk of the stocks traded in showed only slight change from yesterday's close. It was general remark that large interests fed stocks out in order to check a too rapid advance. In government bonds the fours registered declined 1-4; other bonds firmer.

After the first hour there was renewed strength in the stock market and prices in the latter half of the forenoon made further gains, in some cases reaching new high levels for this movement.

The Rate Law.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Mar. 24.—The decision of the U. S. Supreme Court against the reduced passenger rate clause of North Carolina is variously viewed as to the bearing it will have on the Virginia rate case. Lawyers are badly divided. The Attorney General will not be quoted, but it is understood that he thinks Virginia's case is not on all fours with the Carolina case, and that Virginia may hope for a favorable decision on the other hand. A member of the Supeme Court is said to have expressed a most gloomy view as to the outlook for Virginia.

The State democratic committee will probably decide tonight to hold the State convention in Roanoke about June 11, though this cannot be stated positively.

The Railroad Decision.

Washington, D. C., Mar. 23.—No decision in recent years of the U. S. Supreme Court relating to railroads has occasioned so much comment among members of Congress and government officials generally as has those announced yesterday by that tribunal. Holding the Minnesota freight rate law unconstitutional, because it imposed such excessive fines that the railroads were justly afraid to violate it and thus establish in a test case any rights they might have in the premises, is taken as possibly forecasting a sensativeness of the court as to the $29,000,000 fine when the big Standard Oil case eventually comes before it. That the fine is "cruel and excessive" will be the principal defense of the Standard when its case come before the highest court in the land. Many believe that the decision of the court in the Minnesota case gives the Standard a good fighting chance.

The railroad interests are today taking additional comfort in the language of Justice Brewer, who, in speaking for the court in the Interstate Commerce Commission meat rate cases, originating from the charges that the big western roads have been discriminating against the Chicago packers by charging more for transporting live stock from the west to Chicago than for carrying packing house products, said: "It must be remembered that railroads are the private property of their owners, and while, from the public character of the work in which they are engaged, the public has the power to prescribe rules for securing faithful and efficient service and equality between shippers and companies, yet in no proper sense is the public a general manager.

There are those who believe that yesterday's decisions in the Minnesota and North Carolina rate cases forecast a declaration adverse to the federal rate law.

Members of the Interstate Commerce Commission, however, say that there is nothing in the decisions to warrant the fear that the Hepburn law will not stand the test of constitutionality. It is regarded as significant that as yet no railroad has brought suit questioning the validity of the law.

Suicide at Subway Station.

New York, Mar. 24.—A panic was created in the down-town station of the subway at Sixty-sixth street today, when Emil Berger, aged 45, leaped in front of a local train and was instantly killed. Many women were in the crowd that saw the deed and they immediately started a stampede for the exits. Several fainted and the greatest confusion reigned. The first truck passed over Berger's body and his head was crushed by the motor box. His body was badly mangled. Traffic was tied up half an hour until the body could be removed. It is said that troubles had been weighing heavily on Berger for some time, and that he had tried to kill himself by inhaling gas on Saturday.

Cause of Stomach Troubles.

When a man has trouble with his stomach you may know that he is eating more than he should or of some article of food or drink not suited to his age or occupation, or that his bowels are habitually constipated. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to regulate the bowels and improve the digestion and see if the trouble does not disappear. Ask for a free sample. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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DWELLINGS

911 Cameron, 9-room brick $3,500
507 N. Columbus, 6-room brick, $2,500
218 N. Fairfax, 3-room brick, $2,500.

LOTS.

A number of lots in Braddock Heights, small cash payment—balance monthly.

FOR RENT.

DWELLINGS.

507 Prince, 8 rooms, $27 50
716 Queen, 6 rooms, $22.
120 north St. Asaph, 6 rooms. $20.
421 south Washington, 6 rooms, $20.
114 Prince, 8 rooms, $12.50
126 north Payne, 5 rooms, $9.
117 Prince, 8 rooms, $8.
415 south Alfred, 6 rooms, $7.50.
1314 Princess, 6 rooms, $12.50.

APARTMENTS.

211 north Fairfax, 5 rooms, $22
1315 Duke, 6 rooms, $15.
208 King, 4 rooms, $7.50.
113 south Lee, 4 rooms, $7.50.

M. B. Harlow & Co., Inc.,
119 South Fairfax Street
Alexandria, Va.

NATURE SPARES

The Stricken Rose in Grief.

What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the rose of mental suffering; for how poignant would be its grief to discover, in the height of its blooming glory, that a canker fed at its heart, and that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the investigations of scientists the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that borrows into the hair follicles. Newbro's Herpicide absolutely destroys this germ, thus permitting the hair to grow as nature intended.

Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., agents. Two sizes 50c and $1 00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 132

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TUESDAY EVENING, MAR 24, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:55 and sets 6:17. High water at 12:55 a. m. and 1:24 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section cloudy and unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; variable winds.

DEATH OF FORMER PASTOR.

Rev. John H. S. Ewell, of the Methodist Conference, died yesterday at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., where he had gone for his health. His death resulted from tuberculosis, with which he had been suffering several years. Last May, just after the annual conference, he moved his family to the mountains in the hope that his health would improve. He was 42 years old, and came of a family of prominent ministers of the Methodist Church. His father was Rev. John E. T. Ewell, of Accomac county, Virginia, a prominent preacher in his day, as were also two of his brothers. Mr. Ewell's last charge was in Alexandria, he having been pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church for six years. At the last conference he was assigned to a charge in Harpers Ferry, but his failing health made it impossible for him to accept. Mr. Ewell was a graduate of Western Maryland College and Westminster Seminary. At the latter institution he met his wife, who was Miss Beeks, of Kent county. Besides his widow he leaves two boys and one brother, Mr. A. W. Ewell, a prominent merchant of Crisfield, Md. The funeral will take place tomorrow from his home at Blue Ridge Summit. The remains will be taken to Crisfield for burial. Mr. Ewell was one of the most popular ministers ever stationed in Alexandria. While justly esteemed by the members of his own congregation, he was equally popular with those of other creeds, and his death will be sincerely regretted by all who knew him.

Mr. J. H. Trimyer will leave here for Crisfield this evening for the purpose of attending the funeral which will be with Masonic honors. Mr. Trimyer will represent Old Dominion Commandery, Knights Templar, and Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, of this city.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED.

Emanuel Tavares, an Italian fruit dealer, fifty years old, who conducts a fruit and lunch shop at the extreme upper end of King street, was attacked by two negroes about 10:30 o'clock last night and unmercifully beaten and robbed. Tavares is now at the Alexandria Hospital. In his statement last night he says the men, who are described as mulattoes, each about twenty years old, came into his store and asked for 10 cents' worth of fruit. They tendered him a quarter. As he turned to open his money drawer they drew heavy sticks and dealt him several blows about the head and body. When he had recovered his senses the negroes were looting the store. Tavares started to get his pistol. This frightened the negroes and they fled through the rear door. Several shots were fired by Tavares at the fleeing men, and it is believed one of them was injured, although he kept running. Tavares later fell exhausted from loss of blood. He recovered, however, and went to the police station and told what had happened. Officers Knight and Gill subsequently arrested William Robinson, William McClure and George Pesce, three strange negroes, who were acting suspiciously, and they were brought into the Police Court this morning. No evidence was produced to connect them with the assault and robbery, but they were sent to jail for 30 days under the vagrant act.

LAST OF THE RUNAWAY.

The steam yacht Runaway, owned by Mr. Joseph Moore of this city, is being wrecked in the Duke street dock. The Runaway was brought to the Potomac several years ago from Baltimore by Capt. Henry Davis, who purchased her at public auction. Mr. Moore bought the boat from Capt. Davis and for a year or two after the burning of the ferry steamer Columbia the Runaway was used by her owner as a ferryboat between Alexandria and the navy yard at Washington, for the benefit of the employes of the yard residing in this city. The Runaway was built at Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1874, and for many years she belonged to the United States engineer service, and was employed in inspection work about the improvements and fortifications about Baltimore and the Patapsco river.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Janie E. Park, wife of Mr. P. B. Park, died at her home on north Fayette street last night. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. L. D. Lyles.

Mr. M. C. Morris, a former resident of this city, died last Sunday night at Strasburg. His remains were brought here at noon today and interred. Rev. J. R. Sevier conducted the funeral services. He was assisted by Rev. Luther Link. Mr. Morris was a Confederate soldier during the civil war. The deceased was at one time the railroad flagman at Cameron and Henry streets.

PREPARING FOR THE SEASON.

The receivers for the Washington and Potomac Steamboat Company have determined to spend a considerable sum of money on the properties owned by the company to put them in good order and to make the resorts as inviting as they have been in the past. The excursion park at River View will be put in order, and the hotel and property of the company at Colonial Beach and the steamers Queen Anne, St. Johns, and other steamers of the Washington and Potomac fleet will be put in thorough repair for the summer business.

THE NEW LIQUOR LAW.

A well-known King street merchant in speaking of the Byrd law the other day, said: "I am heartily in favor of the protection of game, but I cannot see how they have mixed the Byrd law with the whisky business. There must be some mistake."

Tetter, Salt Rheum and Eczema.

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CORPORATION COURT.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

The criminal docket of the court was pretty well cleared this morning. A large crowd assembled to hear the trial of the cases set for today. The result was as follows:

Com. vs. Frank E. Parker, charged with grand larceny in having stolen a hog; appeal from a justice's decision; jury and verdict of guilty and prisoner sentenced to serve 60 days in jail and to pay a fine of $10 and costs.

Com. vs. Frank E. Parker, charged with grand larceny in having stolen a coil of cattle wire; jury and verdict of not guilty.

Com. vs. Edward Drowns, charged with breaking and entering a slaughter house in the night time and committing larceny therein; also charged with the larceny of a coil of cable wire; also charged with feloniously and maliciously shooting Thomas J. Schneider on the highway on Shooter's Hill on the night of Tuesday, February 11. The prisoner withdrew his plea of not guilty previously entered, entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to serve one year in the penitentiary for the first offense; one year in the penitentiary for the second offense and four years in the penitentiary for the last-named offense, making six years in all. To this was added five years for the reason that Drowns has heretofore served a term in the penitentiary, so that his sentence aggregates eleven years in prison.

Com. vs. Fred. Hicks, indicted with Drowns in all the above-mentioned cases, withdrew a plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty. On account of his age, Hicks being but 17 years old, he was sentenced to serve four years, or until he reaches manhood, in the reform school.

This ends the highway robbery and assault case, Wilbert Cook, the third man in the case, having been tried last week and sentenced to serve one year in jail and to pay a fine of $5. It will be remembered that on the night mentioned Mr. Schneider, of Fairfax county, while on his way to his home from this city was attacked by the three men on Shooter's Hill and shot and dangerously wounded. He has, however, since recovered.

Hicks was represented by Mr. Howard W. Smith and Parker by Mr. Edmund Burke. Drowns had no counsel.

ELKS' CARNIVAL PRIZES.

The drawing of the trips to Europe, Atlantic City, and Dallas, Tex., offered by the Elks indoor carnival, recently held at Armory Hall, under the auspices of Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, took place last night in Armory Hall in the presence of a large gathering of members of the order and their friends. The tickets were drawn by Mr. Hubert Snowden, and the successful parties were as follows: Trip to Europe, valued at $200, won by J. T. Sweeney, 805 Duke street, who held ticket No. 26872; trip to Atlantic City, valued at $100, won by F. Klein, of Washington, who held ticket No 32790; trip to Dallas, valued at $50, won by St. Elmo Davis, 420 north Alfred street, who held ticket No. 14027.

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

George Jones, colored, was arrested last night by Officers Talbot and Garvey, on a warrant sworn out by a colored woman named Nelson, whom she charged with assaulting her and also of robbing her of $2. The alleged offense occurred at a cook shop at Fishtown yesterday morning. Jones was given a hearing in the Police Court today. The woman stated that she was alone when the offense was committed, and as no conviction could follow on her unsupported testimony, the charge of assault was dismissed, but Jones was held for a further investigation of the charge of robbery which will be held next Monday morning.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

William Robinson, William McClure, and George Pesce, all colored, arrested as suspicious characters and vagrants, were sent to jail for 30 days.

Milton Langley, a boy, charged with using a handcar of the Southern Railway, was dismissed with an admonition.

George Jones, colored, charged with assaulting and robbing Marden Nelson, colored, was held on the latter charge. The first was dismissed. His case will come up on Monday morning next.

ENGINE DERAILED.

About 11:30 o'clock this morning, light engine No. 1220, while backing up near Bealeton, was derailed from some unknown cause and overturned, seriously injuring the fireman, C. E. Eheart, and fracturing the right arm of Conductor H. C. Lewis. The injured men were brought to this city where they received medical attention. Traffic on the division was suspended for several hours.

REMAINS FORWARDED.

The remains of the late Colonel John W. Fairfax were forwarded to Leesburg this morning from this city by Mr. B. Wheatley. The remains were placed in a private car which contained the members of the family of the deceased. The interment took place shortly after the arrival of the W. & O. train.

OFFICERS ORGANIZE.

A meeting of the officials of the town of Potomac, Alexandria county, was held at the Del Ray schoolhouse last night and organized. The officers named in the charter of incorporation of the town will at once assume their duties. Several committees were appointed.

REPORTED DEATH.

A report has reached this city that Mr. Thomas Beckham, second son of the late J. T. Beckham, at one time Mayor of Alexandria, died recently at Memphis, Tenn., where he had been living some time.

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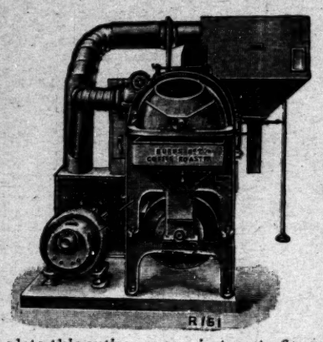
The Roasting of Coffee



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PERSONAL.

After a pleasant ten days' trip to Atlantic City and Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Marshall have returned to their home in this city.

Capt. S. B. Davis, of the United States marine service, was in the city today.

The engagement of Miss Lary S. Johnson, daughter of Mrs. S. L. Johnson of Ballston, and Mr. P. M. Smith of Portland, Ore., is announced. The wedding will take place April 22.

Mr. E. J. Butler is confined to his home on Payne street by sickness.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The City Council meets tonight.

A special meeting of Y. M. S. L. will be held at their hall tonight.

The Fanchon Club will give a dance at McBurney's Hall tomorrow night.

A white man was arrested this afternoon on the charge of assaulting his wife.

It is reported that a new Baptist church, will be organized in this city next Sunday.

There was a well-attended meeting of Alexandria Lodge of Elks last night, at which a new constitution and by-laws were adopted.

Mr. R. E. Knight is agent in this city for the sale of the book "Life in Old Virginia" by Mr. McDonald, mention of which has heretofore been made.

Shad are becoming more plentiful in market. They sell at from 35 to 75 cents each. Mr. Alpheus Robey caught 4 yesterday off this city in a drift net.

Mr. J. R. Caton will leave this evening for Richmond to resume his legislative duties. The legislature will reassemble tomorrow to try the case of Judge Blackstone.

Capt. R. F. Knox, real estate broker, reports the sale of five lots in Braddock Heights in the county to Alexander E. Dean, of this city. Mr. Dean will erect thereon a nice cottage house, for his future residence.

The whistle of a locomotive got on a rampage shortly before noon today, and sent forth a steady blast for nearly ten minutes before it could be shut off. Many people supposed a fire had broken out at the depot and started for that point.

At the meeting of the Young Men's Senate tonight the following resolution will be discussed: "Resolved, That only such gas is used at the armory of the Alexandria Light Infantry by the company or its members, while the same is in use by the militia for military purposes, should be furnished by the city without charge."

The District of Columbia Commissioners have approved the application of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company for the renewal of the lease of the N street wharf, southwest, upon the consideration that the company spends at least $3,000 in improving property thereabout and replacing the building damaged by fire. The lease is for a term of five years.

Muddy grounds prevented the Virginia E. H. S. baseball game scheduled for yesterday afternoon at the University of Virginia.

Fried Cakes 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar5 tf

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1 POUND PACKAGE EVAPORATED APPLES 10c.

1 pound package Cleaned Currants, 8c; Best Sugar-cured Hams, 12½c pound; Corned Shoulders, 10c pound; Picnic Shoulders, 10c pound; Fresh Eggs, 22c dozen; Singapore Sliced Pineapple, 10c can.

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LADIES' TOP SKIRTS, tucks trimmed; $3.98 value. Opening price, $2.98.

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HEATHERBLOOM UNDERSKIRTS, navy and brown, $1.50 value. Opening price, 98c.

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LADIES' LONG and SHORT MUSLIN SKIRTS, 39c value. Opening price, 25c.

HENLEY SERGES, 19c value. Opening price, 12½c.

NOVELTY SUITINGS, 25c values. Opening price, 19c.

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"WATERPROOF" BLACK 36-inch India Silk. Opening price, $1.00.

BLACK SILK CREPE VOILE, 75c value. Opening price, 50c.

ONE CASE FANCY DRESS PRINTS, Opening price, 5c.

ONE CASE SHIRTING PRINTS. Opening price, 5c.

ONE CASE INDIGO BLUE PRINTS. Opening price, 5½c.

ONE CASE APRON GINGHAMS. Opening price, 5c.

ONE BALE YARD WIDE HEAVY BROWN COTTON Opening price, 5c.

LIGHT PERCALES, 12½c value. Opening price, 8c.

YARD WIDE BLEACHED COTTON, 8c and 10c values. Opening price, 6½c.

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"Tipping" in Europe.

According to immemorial usage, European servants are entitled to tips as an assured part of their income. At the hotels the theory is that the landlord furnishes a guest a private room and the use of the public rooms, heat and light, food and dishes, but not menial service. For convenience he keeps at hand a corps of servants who will respond to the guest's summons, but at his expense. In old times travelers were attended by their own servants to wait on them. The modern custom echoes the ancient. The traveler no longer carries with him a retinue of servants, because he can hire temporarily those of the landlord. The customary fees are the payment. To avoid feeling is really to cheat the servants, who need all they can get, heaven knows. A chambermaid at the best hotels receives as wages only about $2 a month. Tipping servants in America is a regrettable imitation of the European custom without its resting on the reasonable basis of the foreign institutions.—Travel Magazine.

Told Who He Was.

The game warden of Colorado was walking out in the mountains on one occasion when he met a hunter with his gun. The official suggested that that ought to be a good country for hunting. "It certainly is," said the hunter proudly. "I killed one of the finest bucks yesterday I ever saw, and he weighed over two hundred." It was the season when deer may not be shot without subjecting the hunter to a heavy fine. "Well, that is a fine one," said the warden, "and do you know who you are talking to?" Being assured that he did not, the official said, "Why, I am the chief game warden of Colorado." The hunter was only taken aback for a moment, when he asked, "And do you know who you are talking to?" The warden didn't know.

"Well, sir," said the hunter, apparently much relieved, "you are talking to the biggest liar in the whole state of Colorado."—Kansas City Star.

The Primitive Violin.

In its primitive form the violin was a direct development of the lyre and monochord—the strings from the former and the elongated box, with its sound holes, finger board and movable bridge, from the latter. The history of the violin began with the invention of the bow some time before the thirteenth century, when the volle, or vielle, used by the troubadours, made its appearance. This instrument underwent many changes until the middle of the sixteenth century, when the true violin model appeared. The primitive violin had little or no contour. It was not until the thirteenth century that the vielle was scooped out at the waist. The corner blocks were added in the fifteenth century and are attributed to Germany. For nearly a century the sound holes were shifted all over the instrument before they were cut in their proper place and the bridge fixed between them.—Circle Magazine.

Two of a Kind.

A revival meeting was in progress, and Sister Jones was called upon for testimony. Being meek and humble, she said: "I do not feel as though I should stand here and give testimony, I have been a transgressor for a good many years and have only recently seen the light. I believe that my place is in a dark corner, behind the door." Brother Smith was next called upon for his testimony and, following the example set by Sister Jones, said: "I, too, have been a sinner for more than forty years, and I do not think it would be fitting for me to stand before this assembly as a model. I think my place is behind the door, in a dark corner, with Sister Jones." And he wondered why the meeting was convulsed with the laughter of those who came to pray.

Don't Whisk Your Hat.

Never use a whisk broom to clean a hat, either stiff or soft, particularly a soft hat, as it gradually removes the fine surface originally on the hat. The worst effect, however, is the wearing away of the band and binding by such rough usage. The effect is more quickly shown on the best grades of bands and binding. A fine hair brush, one of curved shape, made especially to use under the curl of the hat, is good. Best of all, however, is a thick piece of woolen cloth. Such pieces are now made in the form of pads, with a strap across the back, so that they can be held securely in the hand.—American Hatter.

Striking Originality.

"Your husband is not looking well tonight, Mrs. Rhymer."

"He isn't, and I'm not surprised at it."

"No? Has he been overworking himself?"

"It isn't that so much. It's his originality. Why, that man is struck by so many original ideas that his mind must be one mass of bruises."

Spoiled.

"Publishers insist on spoiling a great many manuscripts, don't they?" said the literary young woman.

"Undoubtedly," answered the bookseller. "A lot of 'em look a heap better typewritten and tied up with a ribbon than they do in print."—Washington Star.

All That Saved Him.

"Yes, sir, he was obliged to go in the snake country, so he took a gallon of Georgia corn along with him."

"And how did he make out?"

"Splendid! Got so full and wabbled so the snakes missed him every time they struck at him!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Laughing cheerfulness throws sunlight on all the paths of life.—Richter.

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A Very Practical Christian.

A benevolent old man who lived on his farm in Iowa never refused shelter to any who might ask it of him. His many friends remonstrated with him about this characteristic, knowing that many unscrupulous hoboes would avail themselves of the opportunity and that there was great danger of the old man being robbed. To these remonstrances the old man replied that he believed in "practical Christianity."

"But," said one of his friends, "this seems very impractical. Suppose one of these men took it into his head to rob you one night?"

"My dear young friend," was the reply, "I bid all enter in the name of God, but I prove my belief in practical Christianity by locking up their pants during the night."

Poll Parrot as a Game Bird.

While the parrot is a bird of beautiful plumage, as a table delicacy it is not to be recommended, as I know from sad experience. My first essay at eating a parrot was attended with modified success. The bird must have been comparatively young, and after several hours' boiling became soft enough to masticate and finally swallow, leaving behind it an impression that we had lunched on the sole of a rubber boot.—Arthur D. Temple in Field and Stream.

The Tip Randolph Wanted.

Can you put me in no way to become a successful rogue to an amount that may throw an air of dignity over the transaction and divert the attention of the gaping public from the enormity of the offense to that of the sum?—From a Letter of John Randolph of Roanoke to Dr. John Brockenbrough.

A Fighting State.

Whenever you scratch Kansas history you find a fight. No territory of equal size has had so much war over so many different causes. Her story in Indian fighting, gambler fighting, outlaw fighting, town site fighting and political fighting is not approached by any other portion of the west.—Outing Magazine.

Wonders of Chess.

Edwin Anthony in an article published in the Chess Players' Chronicle computed approximately that the number of ways of playing only the first ten moves on each side is 169,518,829,100,544,000,000,000,000,000.

The lists of English authors and their works give the titles of over 800 poems and essays on "Solitude."

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

B. F. Crocker, Esq., now 84 years of age, and for twenty years Justice of the Peace at Martinsburg, Iowa, says: "I am terribly afflicted with sciatic rheumatism in my left arm and right hip. I have used three bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it did me lots of good." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GREAT FALLS POWER COMPANY for the election of directors and the transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting will be held at the office of C. C. Carlin, No. 107 north Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., THURSDAY, April 2, 1908, at 12 o'clock, noon.
F. J. WHITEHEAD,
mar21 td Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the NATIONAL PRINTING AND EXHIBIT COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, April 6, 1908, at 2 p. m., for the election of officers and to transact any other business as may properly come up.
mar 13td WM. H. BOSLEY, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON SANITARY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at its principal office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, April 7, 1908, at 2 p. m., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business which may properly come up.
mar20 td GEO. M. KOBER, Secretary.

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AUCTION SALE.

S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST made by Mary Anne McCuen, bearing date on the 14th day of July, 1906, and of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 55, page 104, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the said deed of trust according to its terms, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale on

SATURDAY, the 28th day of March, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon in the said city of Alexandria, Va., bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the north side of Queen street with the east side of Columbus street and running thence east on Queen street eighteen (18) feet, five (5) inches more or less, to the line of the "Friends' Burial Ground;" thence north parallel to Columbus street eighty-six (86) feet, seven (7) inches; thence west in a direct line eighteen (18) feet, five (5) inches to Columbus street, and thence south on Columbus street eighty-six (86) feet, seven (7) inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

Terms of sale: Cash. All costs of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
HENRY RADER,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
mar11 td Trustees.

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on March 11, 1908, in the chancery cause of Annie F. Webster, guardian, etc., vs. Mary P. Webster and Annie L. Webster, therein depending, the undersigned, who, by the terms of said decree, was appointed special commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance of the Market building in this city, at 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, March 23, 1908,

all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as No. 406 Wilkes street, situated on the south side of Wilkes street, between Royal and Pitt streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on Wilkes street eighty-one feet, eight and one-half inches to the west of Royal street, and running thence south one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches; thence west and parallel to Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the lot conveyed by George Washington and others to John B. Webster; thence north and parallel to Royal street one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches to Wilkes street; thence east and binding on Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the beginning, with the right to use the west wall or side of the house upon the lot adjoining this lot on the east, and with right reserved to open an alley ten feet wide from said ajoining lot on the east across this property, the north line of said alley to be ninety feet south of Wilkes street, and to correspond with a similar alley laid off, as specified in a deed dated April 1, 1854, from James W. Campbell to James Breen.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, and the balance in six and twelve months, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser, bearing interests at six per cent. per annum, and title to be retained until purchase money is paid in full, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, Commissioner of Sale in the above entitled cause, has executed bond with approved security, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duty, in accordance with the terms of said decree.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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Owing to the inclemency of the weather the above sale was postponed to SATURDAY, March 28, when it will take place at the same place and hour.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 10th day of March, 1908.

Randolph O. Bean vs. Agnes P. Bean, } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Agnes P. Bean, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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The Eighth District Committee.

At a meeting of the Congressional State Democratic Committee for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, held at the Prince William Hotel, in the town of Manassas, Virginia, on the 9th day of March, 1908, pursuant to a call issued by the chairman, the Hon. George S. Shackelford, there were present, the chairman, Col. Grenville Gaines; R. T. Green, Gardner L. Boothe and Thos. H. Lion. The following resolutions was adopted:

Be it resolved by the Congressional Democratic Committee for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, that a primary election, for the democratic candidate for the United States House of Representatives, be held throughout said District on the 9th day of June, 1908, between sunrise and sunset of that day, at all established precincts or wards, and as near as possible in the usual voting places therein; be it further,

Resolved, that at said election all known white democrats and those who have never before voted, who shall declare themselves to be democrats, shall be allowed to vote, provided they will be qualified to vote at the next general election in November, 1908; be it further,

Resolved, that all candidates shall file a notice, in writing, of their candidacy, with Hon. George S. Shackelford, of Orange, Virginia, on or before April 4th, 1908; be it further,

Resolved, that each candidate shall pay to the said Hon. George S. Shackelford, on or before the 18th day of April, 1908, his pro rata share of $1,500, that being the estimate of total expenses of conducting the said primary election; be it further,

Resolved, that any sum remaining after the expenses of said election are paid, shall be returned pro rata to the various candidates; be it further,

Resolved, that this election shall be separate and independent and not held in connection with any other primary.

GEO. S. SHACKELFORD, Chairman,
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